

CONNELLVILLE, PA., FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 11, 1907.

**START ON NEW B. & O. ROAD  
BEGINS AT BIDWELL TODAY.**

**Contractors Arrive on Ground Yesterday With Equipment  
and a Year's Work Is Ahead There.**

## TWO TUNNELS WILL BE BORED

New Line Is Cumberland, Uniontown  
& Wheeling and Crosses From Main  
Line Over Into West Virginia  
Takes Out Main Line Curves, Too

Work was started this morning on  
the Cumberland, Uniontown & Wheeling

ing Railroad, a Baltimore & Ohio  
short line which is projected from

the Railroad, at Baltimore & Ohio  
short line which is projected from  
Bidwell on the Connelyville division  
through to the coal fields in West Vir-  
ginia. In the vicinity of Bidwell im-  
provements are contemplated on the  
main line which will cost over \$1,000,000.  
The St. Louis & Company of Philadelphia  
have this contract and also that for  
the construction of the junction of the  
Cumberland, Uniontown & Wheeling

ments will be made first. Sims

Company mined a mine at Bigdew yesterday, including two steam shovels and two car loads of horses. Today quarters are being erected for the men and horses and a start on the work will be made, just as soon as the workmen's camp is in shape. The improvement in the vicinity

as a Bidwell will require upwards of  
ob-year. The contractors expect the B

well camp to be located there until next summer. A big canyon near Spee's is to be taken out and a tunnel about a fourth of a mile long is to be bored through the mountain. Another tunnel is to be dug through the hill back of the Ohyoyle Hotel at Ohyoyle. These improvements will be the first started on the main line since the double tracking of the C. & N. P. division was concluded. The big improvement at Indian Creek was completed.

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within

Wheeling, road has been contemplated by the B. & O. for several years.

charter has been secured and all the permanent surveys have been made. The road will open up a territory of coal and timber. I now said to be the intention of the company to rush the work to completion; and of the projected road is scheduled to have a junction with the Vabash at Ohioville. Overmen will be engaged on the work.

### Related Interests in and Around Greensburg.

Improved service on the Green and West Penn and allied trunks has been made. The change, which has just gone into effect, will give the passenger more convenient service between the two stations, Youngwood and Ludwigs. A car has been put on which will run half hour service between the two stations and the Green and West Penn, running every hour, evenly spaced between the main cars, which run hourly. The car will be a 2-2-2 passenger car.

from the G. & B. Fair station,  
Greensburg, to Youngwood, and  
return by the same route.

The other service is for the carrying mail, on the P. McK. & G. ad-  
vancing along Bunker Hill, to Lud-  
low.

The confusing part of the service is  
around Greensburg: Is that there  
two Huff stations, one on the G.  
and the other on the P. Mc. K. & G.

**STEAMER SINKS.**

Collided With Another Boat on  
Hurricane Grow Escapes.

PORT HURON, Mich., Oct.  
(Special).—The steamer Pabel  
led by the West Division Steamer  
brigade of Chicago, sunk to-  
day.

Dr. T. H. collided off Port Edward today.  
Dr. G. the steamer Lake Shore, of the

Work or New Road.  
Surveyors commenced work  
ing lines for the new rail-  
Mingo Creek from the Monoc  
place to Thomas station on the

more, & Ohio railroad. The line  
be 12 miles long and will connect

**Hunters Return.**  
Noah Anderson, Anthony

... returned last evening from

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g kept in







## MRS. CHADWICK DEAD.

Former Woman Exponent of  
High Finance Ends Her  
Life in Penitentiary.

## SM. ON WAY TO HER BEDSIDE

A Death Approached She Became Un-  
conscious—Brief Sketch of Career  
of Woman Who Won and Abused  
Confidence of Business Men.

Columbus, O., Oct. 11.—Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, whose amazing financial transactions culminated in the wrecking of an Oberlin bank, died in the women's ward at the Ohio penitentiary last night at 10:05. Mrs. Chadwick had been in a comatose condition for some hours previous to her fall and she came peacefully to her friends or relatives waiting at her bedside, only the prison physician and hospital attendants. Her son, Emil Hoover, had been summoned from Cleveland, but he had not arrived.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Elgie, was a native of Woodstock, Canada. She first came into public notice in Toledo, O., about 20 years ago, where she told fortunes under the name of Mrs. DeVore. While in this city she changed the name of Richard Brown of Youngstown, O., and for this crime was sent to the penitentiary at Columbus for nine years.

She served out a portion of this sentence and then located in Cleveland, where she married a man named Hoover. Her second husband was Dr. L. S. Chadwick of Cleveland, a man of good family and excellent standing in his profession.

Made Use of Receipt.  
In the latter part of 1902 or early in 1903 Mrs. Chadwick in the presence of her husband, gave to Mrs. Reynolds, the cashier of the West Park bank of Cleveland, a box containing notes signed with the name of J. Andrew Carnegie. These forged notes are alleged to have amounted to \$750,000. Reynolds gave a receipt for the papers, which described the notes and the signatures upon them. Mrs. Chadwick left with Reynolds an explanation of the notes the statement that she was a natural daughter of Carnegie.

With the receipt of Reynolds in her possession Mrs. Chadwick went to different banks and many capitalists making loans and paying not only high interest to the banks, but heavy bonuses to bank officials who loaned her the money. The extent of these transactions will never be fully known, but they ran up into the millions. They involved men of high standing in the financial world and caused heavy losses to many banks. In November, 1904, she was sued by a man named Newton of Brookline, Mass., from whom she had borrowed a large amount.

Charged With Conspiracy.  
Other creditors came down upon her and soon she was arrested by the federal authorities on the charge of conspiring with Charles Beckwith, president, and A. B. Spear, cashier of a national bank at Oberlin, O., which had been substantially looted. Mrs. Chadwick had obtained from this institution such large sums that it was compelled to close its doors, causing heavy losses to the depositors and ruining many of them.

Mrs. Chadwick, Beckwith and Spear were indicted for a variety of offenses against the national banking laws. Beckwith died before coming to trial. Spear, found guilty, was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary and is now serving time at Columbus.

Mrs. Chadwick was brought to trial March, 1905, and after a hearing which lasted two weeks, was found guilty of conspiracy to defraud a national bank and was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary. Her health, which was good at the time of the trial, filled steadily after its conclusion.

Mrs. Chadwick left one son, Emil Hoover, born of her first marriage. He is now about 20 years old.

## GAME VERY SCARCE

Center County Hunters Come Home With Nothing to Show.

Belleville, Pa., Oct. 11.—Center county hunters state there is a remarkable scarcity of game so far this year. While hunters of the last season in the county have been in the woods most of the time since the opening of the squirrel, pheasant and woodcock season, they have almost no game to show. The only game they have seen is a man come in with a single quail. Woodcock season is about over. The hunters state that during the summer dead pheasants were found and they ascribed it to the fact that they were victims of some kind of an intestinal disease. But this alone could hardly account for the dearth of the birds. Last year over 50 wild turkeys were killed on the mountains within 20 miles of Belleville on the opening day of the season, while this year hunters have not seen a turkey.

With the open season for deer re-opened it is a blue outlook for the man who loves hunting as a sport. About the only thing they will have to fall back on are rabbits and hares. The former are said to be quite plentiful, while hares have likewise been seen in various parts of the county.

Political Prisoners Escape.  
Knox, Tenn., Oct. 11.—Thirty-six political prisoners broke out of the local prison here and got away. They had been incarcerated in secret cells for a year.

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of choice  
Which will you have—  
dry, chalky, tasteless  
oyster crackers dipped  
out of a barrel, or

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tongue with a savory suspicion  
of salt and add zest  
to your soup or oysters?

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## PRESS AGENT YARNS.

Aristocratic Tramp Comes to the Co-  
lonial Theatre This Evening.

"An Aristocratic Tramp" Kilroy and Britton's new metropolitan comedy drama, success to be seen at the Colonial Theatre, this evening promises to be one of the very best theatrical productions of the season. The production is complete in every respect, the scenic equipment and acting company far surpassing anything ever offered local theatre patrons. One of the features, an automobile race ending in an apparently terrific and death dealing explosion, is said to be by far the most sensational effect yet produced by stage mechanism. While the play contains plenty of pathos and enough broad comedy for a laugh every minute, there are also seven big specialties introduced which serve to make "An Aristocratic Tramp" what every one wants to see the best show of the season.

## BRYAN'S CAMPAIGN.

Nebraska Virtually Begins It for  
Democratic Presidential  
Nomination.

Special to The Courier.  
RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 11.—William J. Bryan arrived in Richmond today to deliver an address at the Virginia State Fair. On the advice of Virginia political associates with whom he has recently conferred, Mr. Bryan, it is understood, will make his address on the issues of the day, and in a sense the speech will be a certain factor for the 1908 campaign.

According to those in a position to know, it has been Mr. Bryan's intention all along to defer the formal opening of his campaign until near the end of the year. The activity of President Roosevelt, Vice President Fairbanks and other Republican leaders has brought about a change in the plans of Mr. Bryan, however. His friends have urged him to declare himself upon the political issues of the day. They have impressed upon the Nebraska leader the necessity for immediate action in view of the recent attacks upon him in the Southern States of the Atlantic seaboard.

## DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

National Convention Beginning in Nor-  
folk Today Will Have a Large  
Attendance.

Special to The Courier.  
NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 11.—The national convention of the Disciples of Christ, which met in this city today with an attendance of delegates representing all parts of the country, promises to be one of the most important gatherings in the history of the denomination. An unusual number of questions of great importance are slated for consideration and action. Heretofore the national conventions have consisted for the most part of the annual message of the "Disciples" missionary organizations. This year, however, there is to be a special convention to consider the invitation of the later-church conference on Federation, which asks that the Disciples appoint official delegates to the Federal Churches of Christ in America, which is to have its first meeting in December of next year.

Another important matter to come before the present meeting is a proposed revision of the constitution of the American Christian Missionary Society, for which a committee was appointed a year ago at the convention in Buffalo.

Arizona Gun Tournament.  
DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 11.—(Special.)—The 15th annual tournament of the Arizona Sports men's Association opened under the auspices of the Douglas Gun Club today and will be continued over Saturday and Sunday.

## TEN MILE RUN.

It is to Be an Event at Polo Grounds  
Tomorrow.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—(Special.)—No athletic event held in the metropolitan district in a long time has attracted more attention than is being manifested in the 10-mile championship run to be held at the Polo grounds tomorrow under the auspices of the Amateur Athletic Union. Many of the best long distance runners in the country have entered for the event, among them the crack teams of the New York Athletic Club and the Irish Amateur Athletic Club of this city.

The regulation gold, silver and bronze A. A. U. championship medals will be given to first, second and third men to finish, and an innovation has been made in the fact that the championship committee has decided to give the next seven men who finish souvenir medals of silver.

## ENGAGEMENT.

Of Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin of To-  
ledo, O., and Joseph R.  
Bailey.

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin and Joseph R. Bailey was announced in Toledo, O., the bride's home, Tuesday. The Toledo Times says: "The engagement of Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin, daughter of Mrs. E. McLaughlin, to Joseph R. Bailey of Mansfield, Pa., was announced yesterday at a luncheon given by Mrs. McLaughlin at the Country Club. Mrs. Edward Yagun, sister of the bride, made the interesting announcement. There were 12 guests present at the luncheon, all of whom joined in with their congratulations."

The wedding will probably occur in the early spring. Miss McLaughlin is a social favorite in Toledo and also has quite a few friends in Fayette county, where she visited recently. The groom was formerly connected with The Daily News of Conneautville, having been assistant business manager. He is at present manager of the Sunning, Coal & Coke Company's plant at Mansfield. Mr. Bailey has a wide circle of friends here.

## WILLS FILED

Of Mrs. Rose A. Newingham and Dav-  
id Higgs.

GREENSBURG, Oct. 10.—The will of Rose Ann Newingham of Scottsdale was probated today. It is dated June 18, 1907, and her son, James B. Newingham, is named as executor. To her son, Clayton Newingham, she leaves the restaurant he conducts at Toledo, O. He is required to pay to her executor \$300 in sums of \$20 per month. To her son, Thomas, she leaves another restaurant in Toledo, O. He is required to pay her executor \$200 in sums of \$20 per month. To her son, James B. Newingham, she leaves the restaurant he conducts at Toledo, O. He is required to pay to her executor \$300 in sums of \$20 per month. To her son, Thomas, she leaves another restaurant in Toledo, O. He is required to pay her executor \$200 in sums of \$20 per month. To her son, James B. Newingham, she leaves the restaurant he conducts at Toledo, O. He is required to pay to her executor \$300 in sums of \$20 per month. To her son, Thomas, she leaves another restaurant in Toledo, O. He is required to pay her executor \$200 in sums of \$20 per month.

The will of David Higgs of Bellefontaine was probated today. It is dated October 21, 1891. His brother-in-law, Samuel Hogan, is named as executor. He leaves all his real estate to his mother, Margaret Higgs.

## HOSE CART TIED UP.

So Firemen at Scottsdale Had Hard  
Time Getting It Out When  
Alarm Sounded.

SCOTSDALE, Oct. 10.—Two fire alarms in one day was Scottsdale's record Wednesday, one fire not amounting to anything, but the second burning down the stable belonging to John Krieschgau and the outshouses of John Robertson on Spring and Mulberry streets. A peculiar thing was that the hose cart of Company No. 1 could not get into commission for several minutes, the rope having been wound about one wheel and under the hose reel, knotted and tied so that the hose could not be unreeled. When the clapper of the alarm bell on top of the cart was tied up. Apparently some one was preparing things so that the fire should get a good start or else playing a dangerous joke. The alarm of the Krieschgau fire was at 2:30 this morning.

The blaze had a strong headway and had started in the second story of the stable. Both incrimination and playing boys are blamed. The young lads of town have been in the habit of playing in the barn, and it is said that on Wednesday evening after 11 o'clock several of them were chased out of the barn, where they had a lot of candles burning. It is thought that they may have been playing in the same way last night and left a candle burning somewhere. The fact that the rope was wrapped under the hose cart makes some think that the fire was started by incendiaries. The first alarm was shortly after noon, when a fire started in R. B. Kuhn's bakery on Broadway. It was put out quickly. No. 1 cart's hose was not unreeled at that time and nothing wrong was noticed.

## INDIANA W. C. T. U.

Women Wearing White Ribbon Badge  
Gather at Lafayette Today.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Oct. 11.—(Special.)—Women wearing the white ribbon badge of the W. C. T. U. were much in evidence in Lafayette today. They were the delegates to the 34th annual State Convention of the organization, which will be in session here during the next four days, opening with a welcome demonstration tonight in Trinity M. E. church.

The convention program contains an unusual number of interesting features. Tomorrow afternoon the superintendent of deportments will give their reports and the afternoon will be occupied with the election of officers. In the evening the Loyal Temperance Legion will give a demonstration.

Sunday morning and evening W. C. T. U. speakers will occupy the pulpits of a number of the local churches. Monday will be occupied largely with routine business, but in the afternoon Judge Stubbs of Indianapolis will address the convention on the work of the juvenile court in that city. The business of the convention will be concluded Tuesday morning.

## FINK COMPANY ELECTION.

Officers and Directors Chosen for the  
Coming Year.

The annual election of officers for the Fink Coal & Coke Company was held in Treasurer John M. Cove's office, Uniontown, Monday afternoon, which resulted in the re-election of the officers as follows: H. S. Butz, president; N. A. Hilt, vice-president; Robert McBurney, secretary, and John M. Cove, treasurer and attorney. There were also directors: H. S. Butz, C. L. Butz, Robert McBurney, David Junk, D. P. Patterson, John D. Frisbee, N. A. Hilt, S. W. Dunn and J. C. Moore. The company is a holding concern of a number of the local churches. It owns 15,500 acres of Pittsburgh coal in West Virginia, in Lewis and Gilmer counties along Fink creek and Leading creek. The holdings are 15 miles from Weston, the nearest railroad point, but will be very valuable some day. The members of the company are Fayette county, Grand Ridge, Ill., and Aurora, Neb., capitalists, and the company was formed about four years ago with a capitalization of \$500,000. Their main office is at Weston, W. Va.

Read Martin Hewitt, Investigator, in next Sunday's Courier.

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Princess Bands, Festoons and Allovers for fancy waists—new and original designs. \$1.15 to \$12.50 per yard.  
Imitation Point Venice, Fillet and Oriental Gallons, Festoons and Allovers—mostly St. Gall importations. 75c to \$13.50 per yard.  
French hand-made Fillet Laces in antique designs. \$1.25 to \$9.75 per yard.  
French hand-made Cluny Flouncings and Gallons—imported exclusively for this establishment. \$3.25 to \$16.50 per yard.

**IMPORTED ROBES.**  
Ecor Bretonne Lace Robes, finished with deep flounce. \$13.50.  
Plain or fancy Robes of Net Laces, trimmed with three flounces of Venice lace. \$25.00.  
White Fancy Net Robes with deep Venetian border effect in a combination of baby Irish lace. \$39.50 to \$60.00 each.  
Spanish and Marquise Silk Lace Robes in cream, finished with lace flouncings. \$50.00 to \$75.00.  
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# MILLIONS VANISH.

Sam's Attorney Tries to Van to Locate Standard's Unpaid Loan.

## TRAINER PLEADS IGNORANCE

When Millions of Oil Trust Dollars Were Loaned, According to Standard Oil Books, Declares He Didn't Get the Money.

New York, Oct. 11.—Loans of over \$10,000,000 which the books of the Standard Oil Company show were made to the Standard Oil Company, became more puzzling to Frank B. Kellogg, consulting engineer, when Mr. Kellogg, taking the witness stand in the federal suit against the Standard Oil Company, when Mr. Kellogg testified that the money never had been paid to him and that he had never heard of the account.

Mr. Kellogg, however, acknowledged that he had received for the Standard Oil Company, and that the money was never paid back to the company. Mr. Kellogg said that he was formerly the oil purchasing agent for the Standard Oil Company of New York, and that he had purchased all the oil and gas for the company.

Mr. Kellogg said that he had never heard of the account, and that he had never received the money. He said that he had never heard of the account, and that he had never received the money.

## OPPOSES ROOSEVELT IDEA

William J. Bryan Objects to National Incorporation of Railroads.

Cincinnati, Oct. 11.—Opposition to the Roosevelt suggestion of national incorporation of railroads was expressed in an interview here by William J. Bryan of Lincoln, Neb.

Mr. Bryan said: "The national incorporation of railroads is the most far-reaching step for centralization proposed in this country since Hamilton attacked the federal government. Hamilton provided for president and senators to be elected for life and for the appointment of late governors by the national government to serve for life."

Mr. Bryan said that the Roosevelt plan contemplated the national incorporation of railroads and other corporations going on interstate business. The result, he said, would be to extend greatly the powers of the federal government and proportionately reduce the authority of the states. The president, he said, would be able to control the railroads and other corporations going on interstate business. The result, he said, would be to extend greatly the powers of the federal government and proportionately reduce the authority of the states.

## MITCHELL TO RETIRE

Will Not Be Candidate for Re-election as President of Mine Workers.

Indianapolis, Oct. 11.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, announced in the current issue of the United Mine Workers Journal that he will not be a candidate for re-election for president. He said in his announcement that he did not regard himself as well enough to attend properly to the office.

Mr. Mitchell underwent a surgical operation about six months ago and it is said that he is not fully recovered and that it is possible it will be necessary for another operation to be performed.

View President T. L. Lewis is an avowed candidate for re-election as Mr. Mitchell's successor. Lewis and Mitchell have scarcely been on speaking terms for years.

## Famous Ship and 16 Men Lost

Copenhagen, Oct. 11.—The Arctic steamer Fritzhof, which accompanied the expedition to Spitzbergen, was lost on Cape Langens. The ship was last seen on October 5. The captain and 16 of her crew were drowned. The Fritzhof was homeward bound to Norway, having been damaged by ice and was unable to withstand a storm which was encountered.

# AN ARISTOCRATIC TRAMP



THE MOST REALISTIC RAILROAD SCENE EVER PRODUCED

AT THE COLONIAL THEATRE TONIGHT

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of J. M. Reid.

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Reid, West Peach street. The attendance was large. Mrs. J. W. Ward presided over the meeting of the Foreign Society and Mrs. W. A. Eds over that of the Home Society. The secretaries were Miss Sallie Allen and Mrs. T. H. White.

Reports were received from delegates to the recent Presbyterian Society meeting in Mt. Pleasant, and other interesting exercises were held. A box of new clothing is to be sent to a home missionary in the Far West. At the close of the meeting delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

## GET A HOME

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## STEEL POSTS

For Use in Mines Are to Be Manufactured by the Carnegie Steel Company.

Wood has become such a luxury in the mining districts of Western Pennsylvania and other sections of the country that the Carnegie Steel Company has entered upon the manufacture of "steel timbers" to take its place. The timber is made of a steel section easily handled by the miner. The prop, or post, as it is called, has been based on and has been found to meet all requirements. One of the principal features is that it can be cut to length and fashioned in convenient units ready for erection, while its smaller weight readily lends itself to economy.

So scarce has wood for mine timber become in this section that the H. C. Frick Coke Company and the Westmoreland Coal Company recently planned large numbers of young trees in the hope of growing a supply for the future. The introduction of the steel "timber" will obviate the necessity of maintaining a forestry reserve by these corporations.

Another addition to the products of the Carnegie Steel Company is sheet piling now being rolled and fabricated at the mills. It is a long step in advance of the old form of wooden sheet piling.

## KAISER'S VISIT

Emperor William of Germany Will Take Little Train to London Next Month.

Special to The Courier.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Soon after Sir John Bull takes office next month, a Lord Mayor of London, he will be called upon to officiate at a most important ceremony, the presentation of an address of welcome to the Emperor and Empress of Germany. The event will take place at the Guild Hall and will be accompanied by much pomp and ceremony.

The arrangements for the entertainment of the Emperor and Empress are being made on a most elaborate scale, evidently with the idea of destroying the foundation for the oft-reported stories of alleged ill-feelings between King Edward and his imperial nephew. The imperial visit is expected to last a week and will be marked by great official and social events in Buckingham Palace, the Guild Hall and Windsor Castle. The apartments in Buckingham Palace are to be occupied by the Kaiser and his consort, and King Edward is giving his personal attention to all the chief features of the program of entertainment.

## Christian Endeavor Convention

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 11.—(Special.) Members of the Christian Endeavor Society throughout Nebraska rallied here in force today for the opening of the annual convention of their State organization. The reports for the year show that the society has made a gratifying increase in membership in nearly all parts of the State.

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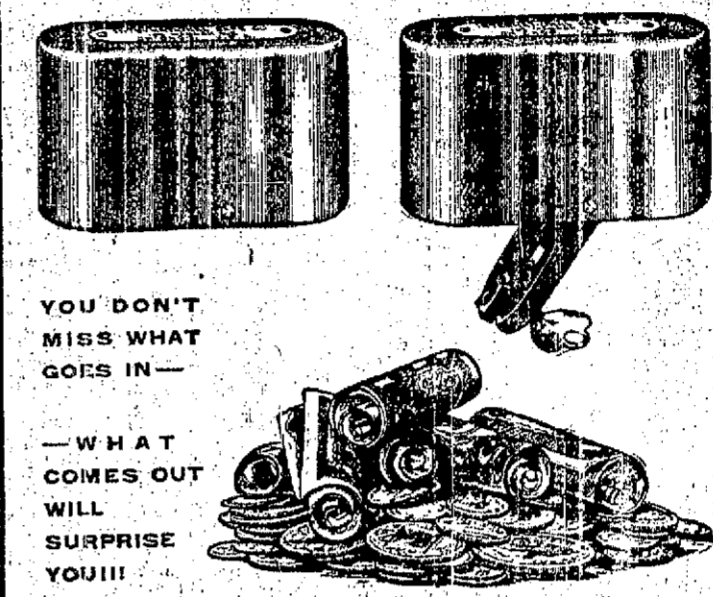
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as qualifications and his long legal training. He has burned much midnight oil. When he faces the bench of this county in behalf of a client it is always understood in the court room, both by judges and lawyers, that the interests of the client are under the protection of one who knows thoroughly well how to look after them and will look after them with great care, ability, judgment and fidelity.

He is a hard worker. His constancy to his profession, his devotion to study have led him unconsciously into moods of abstraction which have considerably developed and hardened into a habit, or mannerism, of which he is himself largely insensible. There are times when he would walk the streets from his home to his office and, meeting his own wife on the way, would look her squarely in the face and not see her. His mind's eye is

bottomed from the time of his first vote, he is well known in party circles, both local and State.

In 1886 he was a delegate to the National convention of that party. In 1904 and 1907 he was chairman of its State convention. In 1889, as candidate for judge of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania, he led his State ticket, receiving many complimentary votes from members of the bar in this end of the State who were acquainted with him. In 1904 he was the Prohibition candidate for District Attorney of Fayette county, and led his ticket in that contest.

As a lawyer Mr. Robinson has always been a hard worker and his diligence has met with its due reward. Almost from the very outset he has had a good practice and met with large professional success. With the exception of one year, during which he was a partner of Daniel Sturgeon, Esq., he spent the first ten years of his professional life alone, always growing in legal attainments and acquaintanceship.

In the spring of 1897, with W. C. McKean, Esq., he formed the legal partnership known as Robinson & McKean, whose record in public property. While Mr. McKean's criminal practice has, of course, brought him more largely before the public eye, none acquainted with the local case books transacted in the county could be ignorant of the vast amount of civil business passing through the office of this firm, nor of the leading part taken in this business by Mr. Robinson.

The first litigation conducted by him to attract public attention was probably that arising from the craze which passed over Fayette county some 12 or 13 years ago for investment in West Virginia timber lands, when so many of our citizens were gold bricked by the application of some "high finance" methods. Employed by a number of Uniontown people, Mr. Robinson succeeded in shaking the promoters' profits out of the deal.

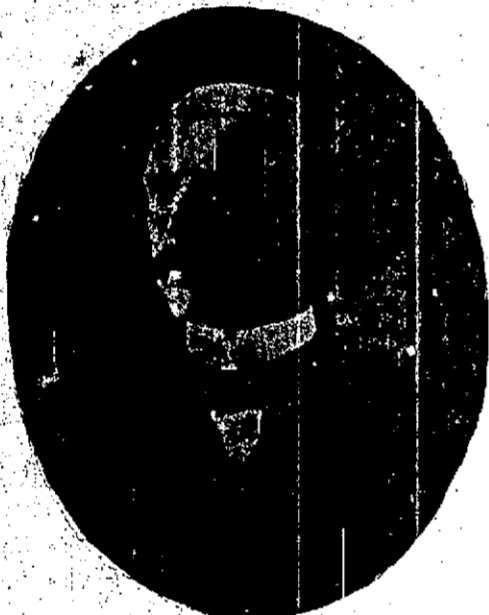
Later came the natural gas litigation, when men who then owned all the lighting facilities about Uniontown, in order to compel consumers to use artificial gas or electric light, tried to enforce a charge for natural gas to be used for heating purposes and six times as much for the same gas to be used for light. Robinson & McKean took up the people's cause and resisted the demands of this monopoly in court. Our local courts yielded against them. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court of the State, where Mr. Robinson made the argument and succeeded in reversing the court below, thus defeating the claims of the gas company. In this as in numerous other cases, he not only practiced law, but made law; that is, established new principles or applied old ones under new circumstances for which there was no precedent.

Though our space would not permit an enumeration of all the legal battles waged by this firm, it may be worthy of mention that they have been engaged on one side or the other of 20 per cent. of all the equity suits brought in the courts of Fayette county since the formation of the partnership. In all of these matters Mr. Robinson has been concerned, and in most of them he has shown a leading part. He has also practiced with success in the Federal courts and in West Virginia. He has personally, at different times, been attorney for Connellsville borough, Fairbance borough, Mason town borough and is at present attorney for several of the large independent coke companies of this county.

Mr. Robinson has been twice a member of the examining committee of the Fayette County Bar and is at present by appointment of the court, a member of the Law Library Committee and of the Committee on Rules of the Court.

He has always been an open but fair and honest enemy of the liquor traffic. When the present firm was formed it was expressly agreed between the parties that Mr. Robinson should not be expected to have anything to do with applications for liquor license, and no business done by the other member of the firm in the license court has ever been considered firm business, nor has its proceeds ever gone into the firm account.

Last spring, when the judicial situation began to assume tangible shape, Mr. Robinson became profoundly impressed with the fact that now, as never before, the time had arrived for an aggressive movement looking toward a change in the license policy of our courts. The record of the county for liquor-borne crime had become notorious. He, with many other persons of the same convictions, urged different members of the bar to take up the cause of the people and wage war against the saloons and jug lines. Though realizing the need of it, and sympathizing with the movement, no one else could be induced to make the fight. Then, and not till then, Mr. Robinson agreed to assume the burden incident to the campaign. He is in the fight now to win. He is worthy of your support. Your own interests demand his success. See to it that he does win.—Adv.



H. L. ROBINSON.

like the shirt of Nessus and impeding the freedom and impartiality of their judicial thought and action.

Politicians never make wholly satisfactory judges. They cannot. They are weighed down by obligations which it takes years to discharge. Lawyers who may be selected for seats on the bench should not owe their distinction to their capacity and vigor as campaign leaders and organizers. It should be due solely to their personal professional character and reputation, to the knowledge of the law and the judicial quality of their minds. This is the high standard, which appointees to the Supreme Court of the United States are required to meet. It should be the same locally. And when it is the same, the work of the higher courts is reduced to the minimum. A political judge is an abomination, a stain on the public nostrils. He usually has little knowledge of or regard for the law, and less for the people, while the people have no confidence in him. He feels that he owes his office to his party "organization," and that to it only he is obligated and to its managers.

This is a condition to be avoided by all means, and avoidance is made needfully possible this fall in Fayette county by the election to the bench of Harold L. Robinson, the Prohibition and Citizens nominee for judge.

His personal character is spotless. His professional character has placed him easily among the leaders of the bar. His great capacity as a lawyer no one will deny. These qualifications generally may be accepted as demonstrating his fitness for the bench. He has a clear and sagacious mind, a firm and impartial judgment. He thoroughly understands law and knows how to properly apply it. He has no political obligations to tie him up. He is free, absolutely free, to serve all the people, Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists, Socialists, Populists and everybody else, free to serve them and them alone, along the lines of faithful and conscientious performance of duty, his whole duty and nothing but his duty.

Mr. Robinson has a distinctively judicious mind, the product of his na-

otherwise occupied. He is not looking for people. This obsession is his most notable personal peculiarity. In all other respects he is the same normal human animal that the rest of us are. He likes and is liked, is fond of company, a delightful talker, appreciative of humor, a genial companion, generous, broad minded, very fond of the bunch of healthy boys he has at home. He, like us, is fond of a good fellow when you know him, a citizen who aspires to reach the highest standard of service, both in private and public life, and who if chosen to the bench would adorn it just as much as he would adorn his home.

Mr. Robinson was born in Oregon, Holt county, Missouri, July 25, 1864. His father was a physician of New England birth and parentage; his mother a Fayette countian, born and bred, whose family had lived here since the days of the Revolution. While an infant his parents moved to Montana, where the father lost his life in a year or two in a flood. In 1868 the mother and child returned to her old home in Uniontown, where they have continued to reside ever since.

After attending the public schools here during his boyhood Mr. Robinson entered the preparatory department of the University of West Virginia at Morgantown in the fall of 1879. In June, 1884, when not quite 20 years of age, he graduated from the University with honor. During the following winter and summer he taught school in South Union township. He then entered the law school connected with his old alma mater, where he graduated in June, 1885. Returning home to Uniontown, he entered the law office of the late James Darby, Esq., as a law student. In June, 1887, he was examined and admitted to practice in the several courts of Fayette county.

Since his admission to the bar Mr. Robinson's life has been one unvaried life of ceaseless activity, mostly professional but not wholly. A member of the Methodist Episcopal church of Uniontown, he has been connected with its official board and with the work of the church in all its branches ever since he was grown. A Prohi-

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